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For: OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111
TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action dated November 8,
2002, please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 2-4, 6-9 and 15-16 without prejudice or
disclaimer of their underlying subject matter.

Please amend the claims as follows.

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1. (amended) An optical recording medium for performing at
least one of recording and reproduction of information by
irradiation of light, comprising;

For vix amend!